Assistance to the Calcutta Electricity Supply Corporation

864. SHRI SUKOMAL SEN: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what was the amount of central financial assistance sanctioned for the Southern Generation Stations Replacement of Calcutta Electricity Supply Corporation; and

(b) when it was sanctioned and paid to the State Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) and (b) Government of India have approved the installation of 2X67.5 MW units by M|s. Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation (CESC) at their Southern generating station. Out of the total estimated cost of Rs. 210.75 crores, the financing plan of the project envisages a loan of Rs. 135.79 crores from financial institutions. It is for M|s. CESC to implement the project and avail of loan assistance.

Power share of Tripura

865. SHRI NARAYAN KAR: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the share of Tripura in M.W. from N.E.C. (North Eastern Council) Power Projects;

(b) whether it is a fact that Tripura is not getting its share from the power projecs of NEC;

(c) whether it is also a fact that National Power Grid from Assam and Manipur to Tripura has not yet been completed; and

(d) if the answer to part (c) above be in the affirmative, what steps Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) and (b) In view of the expected surplus condition of power in the North Eastern Region, it was decided in February, 1985 that for the next five years the States/Union Territories of the Region could draw power from the two Central Sector (including NEC) Projects under operation in the Region, namely, the Loktak and the Kopili Hydroelectric Projects to to the extent of their requirement, although no formal allocation of power was made.

(c) and (d) At present, Tripura does not have direct inter-connection with Kopili Hydroelectric Project and receives power through the transmission system of Assam. 132 KV Transmission Lines in Khandong-Jiribam-Aizwal-Kumarghat sections have been planned in the Central Sector to interconnect Tripura with the Kopili and Loktak Projects. Of these, Khandong-Jiribam and Kumarghat-Aizwal line sections have already been completed and the remaining Jiribam-Aizwal section is expected to be completed shortly. With the completion of this line, Kopili and Loktak Projects would be interconnected with Tripura.

भारत में कों इटली कम्पनियों की स्थापना

866. **श्री अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी** : क्या **उद्योग मंत्री** यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान इटली के कितने व्यक्तियों और कम्पनियों को भारत में उद्योग स्थापित करने की अनुमति प्रदान की गई तथा उनके नाम क्या हैं; और

(ख) उपरोक्त के अतिरिक्त इटली की अन्य कितनी कम्पनियों ने भारत में उद्योग स्थापित करने के लिए उनके मंत्रालय से अनुमति मांगी है तथा उनके नाम क्या हैं ?

उद्योग मंत्रालय में औद्योगिक विकास विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री एम० अरुणाचलम्) : (क) और (ख) उद्योगों की स्थापना करने संबंधी विदेशी कपनियों तथा व्यक्तियों से प्राप्त प्रस्तावों पर सरकार